Bhaktisetu Haveli

Website Content Summary

www.bhaktisetuhaveli.org

A spiritual platform dedicated to Pushtimarg devotion, seva, Gau Seva, and pathshala learning under the guidance of the Vallabhkul Acharya lineage.

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Overview

Bhaktisetu Haveli is a Pushtimarg spiritual organization based in Vapi, Gujarat, founded under the guidance of the Vallabhkul Acharya lineage. The website serves as a hub for devotees, offering information on daily seva and darshan, spiritual education (Balbodhini Pathshala), Gau Shala (cow shelter) seva, satsang and bhakti resources, event listings, and ways to volunteer or donate.

The site is developed on WordPress (Elementor) and includes multiple sections: Pustimarg, Education, Gau Shala, Our Divine Journey (About), Events, Volunteer Drive, and Contact.

Home Page

The homepage welcomes visitors with the invocation ■ ■■■■■■■■■: ■ and an introduction to Bhaktisetu. It highlights six core areas of the organization's work:

- Seva & Darshan – Daily darshan and seva to connect with Thakorji.
- Satsang & Bhakti – Immersing in devotion through satsang and bhakti.
- Pathshala – Nurturing values through spiritual education.
- Festivals & Events – Celebrating divine festivals with joy and devotion.
- Community & Seva – Building a spiritual and connected community.
- Online Resources – Access to spiritual knowledge anytime, anywhere.

What Is Pushtimarg?

Pushtimarg is described as a path of loving devotion to Lord Krishna that originated in 16th-century Gujarat, founded by Shri Vallabhacharyaji. Meaning “the path of grace” or “nourishment,” it emphasizes receiving Krishna's grace through pure bhakti as a complete way of life rooted in surrender, devotion, and inner purity. The tradition centers on seva (selfless service) – daily worship, food offerings, hymn singing, and temple care – inspired by texts such as the Bhagavata Purana, and celebrates festivals like Janmashtami and Holi.

Darshan Timings

The site describes a structured daily seva schedule, from early morning Mangla Darshan to the evening Shayan Darshan, noting that darshan timings may vary during festivals and special occasions.

Testimonials (“Stories Touched by Grace”)

> ***Krishna Radadiya*** *– Describes Balbodhini Pathshala as an authentic, peaceful, and deeply spiritual experience that inspired a stronger commitment to Vaishnav life.*
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> ***Nimisha Chhatbar*** *– Praises the Pathshala for preserving Vallabh Sampraday values and suggests more interactive content.*
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> ***Sejal Mapara*** *– Notes that the Pathshala helps cultivate devotional, traditional, and cultural values connecting students to their roots.*

Varsha Kadakia & Sharmila Dalsaniya *– Describe Bhaktisetu Haveli as a vibrant centre blending devotion, education, and social service – a spiritual shelter for Vaishnavs.*

Uday Dharia *– Highlights the spiritual library and the value of making children spiritually conscious through Balbodhini.*

Blog / “Bhakti Ras” Articles

- Shri Sarvottam Stotram
- The Path of Bhakti and Seva (Pushtimarg: The Path of Devotion and Selfless Service to Lord Krishna)
- Yamunashtak Stotra (lyrics in English and Sanskrit)

Pushtimarg Queries & Guidance (FAQ)

Why do we do Gau Seva?

Acharyas held the title “Goswami” (protector of cows); the cow holds deep spiritual significance connected to Shree Krishna and Shree Govardhanji.

Who is Shri Vallabhacharyaji?

A 16th-century Telangana-born philosopher, scholar, and devotional saint who founded the Vallabh Sampraday (Pushtimarg), emphasizing bhakti to Krishna as the path to liberation.

How is Pushtimargiya Seva done?

Through Kirtan (devotional singing), Bhog (food offerings), Shringar (adorning the deity), and Aarti.

Can anybody follow Pushtimarg?

Yes – anyone willing to surrender to Shree Krishna, live a Krishna-centric life, and take Naam Diksha / Brahma Sambandh.

What is Pushtimarg?

Founded by Shri Vallabhacharyaji; followers (Vaishnavs) believe Krishna is the Supreme power and live a Krishna-centric life of selfless devotion.

Which mantra do Vaishnavs chant?

The Ashtakshara Mantra – “[redacted]” – meaning “Shri Krishna is my shelter.”

Our Divine Journey (About)

Bhaktisetu is described as “a sacred bridge of devotion that connects the soul to Shri Krishna through love, faith, and selfless seva.” It represents a spiritual path guided by bhakti at every step, with every action becoming seva.

Vanshavali (Acharya Lineage)

The page presents the Vanshavali – the direct descent of Acharyas from Shri Vallabhacharyaji through Shri Gopinathji, Shri Gusaiji, Shri Girdharji, Shri Damodarji, Shri Vithaleshji, Shri Kaka Vallabhji, Shri Gokulnathji, Shri Mathuranathji, Shri Govardhaneshji, Shri Jivanji, a second Shri Gokulnathji, Shri Madhavraiji, Shri Neerajkumarji, and Shri Govindraiji.

Sarkar Shree (Goswami Shri Neerajkumarji Maharajshri)

Bhaktisetu Haveli's founder, born 12 December 1957, is the 13th direct descendant of Shri Vallabhacharyaji. Fondly known as “Koko Baava” and respected as “Sarkaarshree,” he received initiation (Prapatti, Sharnagati, Brahmasambandh) from his father and guru, Shriman Madhavraiji Maharajshree. Educated at Christ Church High School and St. Xavier's College, Mumbai, he is also known as a Hindustani classical/light-classical musician (N. Madhavrai), an exponent of Pushtimargiya Kirtan Bhakti, an author, and a practitioner of Akhada training.

Goswami Govindraiji

Known respectfully as “Je Je,” Goswami Shri Govindraiji Neerajkumarji Mahodayshri belongs to the 14th generation of the Acharya lineage. He received Sharanaagati through Ashtaakshar Mantropdesh from his grandfather and Gayatri Mantropdesh / Brahm Sambandh from his father. His daily discipline includes Japa-Paath, Sandhya Vandanam, and Brahma Yagya, and he annually completes the Saaptahik Shrimad Bhagwat Parayan. He studies Vallabh Vedant and scriptures including the Shrimad Bhagwatam, Bhagavad Gita, Ramayan, and Mahabharat, guided by the principle: “Convert Information into Knowledge & Transform Knowledge into Wisdom.”

Gau Shala

Bhaktisetu Gau Shala, established under the blessings of Vallabhkul, is described as “not just a shelter, but a sacred space where Gaay Maata is served with love, devotion, and purity.” Milk, ghee, butter, and curd produced here are offered as Prabhu's bhog, reflecting selfless seva and spiritual dedication.

Why Gau Seva Matters

- Protecting and nurturing Gau Maata with devotion
- Preserving the sacred traditions of Pushtimarg
- Attaining spiritual punya through selfless seva
- Serving Prabhu through every act of Gau Seva
- Instilling values of compassion in future generations
- Building a compassionate and dharmic society

Ways to Contribute

- Man Seva (Volunteering) – helping with feeding, cleaning, and caring.
- Financial Seva (Daan) – supporting fodder, medical care, and maintenance.
- Special Occasion Seva – celebrating birthdays and anniversaries through Gau Seva.
- Family Participation – bringing children to learn values of seva and compassion.

The site also provides an online donation option (UPI) and an inquiry form for those interested in Gau Seva.

Balbodhini Pathshala (Education)

Balbodhini Pathshala helps children develop strong values, discipline, and a Krishna-centered lifestyle, offering direction through spiritual learning in today's fast-paced world. Its four pillars are: Builds Sanskar & Discipline, Moral & Spiritual Growth, Krishna-centric Living, and Practical Life Guidance.

What Children Learn

- How to live a Krishna-centric life
- Pushtimarg teachings
- Shlokas & prayers
- Meditation & focus techniques
- Healthy lifestyle & discipline
- Learning through moral stories

Curriculum (Pathyakram)

The curriculum is structured in three stages: Pathyakram 1 introduces basic sanskar, simple prayers, and devotional habits; Pathyakram 2 helps children understand and apply values and discipline in daily life; and Pathyakram 3 guides deeper spiritual knowledge and Krishna-centered living. Downloadable

curriculum PDFs are provided on the site for each stage.

An online/offline enrollment form is available, collecting student and parent details including Janamatithi, whether the family already performs Pushtimargiya Thakorji seva at home, and Bramhsambandh status.

Volunteer Drive

The Volunteer Drive invites people to join the BhaktiSetu Haveli V.A.P.I. movement under the guidance of Shri Govindraiji, whose mission is to revive and spread the sacred knowledge, values, and traditions of the Vaishnav community among the younger generation. The page frames this as a way to redirect youth energy in the digital age toward spirituality, sanskar, and cultural heritage, with the call to action: “Be the change. Inspire the next generation. Serve with devotion.”

The site also points visitors to Shri Govindraiji's lectures on YouTube and provides a volunteer sign-up form collecting personal, educational, occupational, and family details.

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